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MURDER

There is probably no word in the English language more startling than this word "Murder," and you never did and never will see it used in connection with Bicknell Bros. advertising, unless it means something so startling as to be interesting. Murder means to kill and that is just what we have done to the profits on our Boys' Reefers carried over from last season. We have cut the prices in the middle, selling you the smaller half and making you a present of the larger half.

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You will see that these prices are less than half the original. We have made these prices because we want the room at once for new goods. They will go quickly. Delay means disappointment.

BICKNELL BROS.

LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

John Adams has just purchased a new depot wagon.

A full blown dandelion was picked and left at the post-office Tuesday.

Miss May Bentley of Melrose Highlands, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Joseph N. Greenwood of Lawrence, visited friends in town this week.

Marlborough Church has been appointed an instructor in English at Harvard.

The will of the late James N. Smart was proved at probate court in Salem last Monday.

Mrs. E. A. Baldwin has moved from Locke street to her new residence on Morton street.

Several of the local school teachers are attending the Teachers' Convention at Peabody today.

The Burns club will meet Saturday night. Mr. Dickson will read some of his own poetry.

Miss Jennie M. King of Bruce street, Lawrence, has accepted a position with Tyer Rubber company.

The sermon at the Baptist church last Sunday morning was preached by the Rev. W. W. Everts of St. Paul, formerly of Haverhill.

Edward Mellen of the firm of E. M. and W. A. Allen, was operated upon last Saturday. He is getting over the effects of the operation rapidly.

A number of Andover people witnessed the Vardon-Findlay golf matches at the Lawrence Country club, yesterday morning and afternoon.

William Ashness, a conductor on the Charlestown division of the Boston Elevated road, was in town last Wednesday visiting his sister, Mrs. E. C. Pike.

Peter Smith, son of B. Frank Smith, has accepted a position with the locomotive works at Schenectady, N. Y., where he will learn the business.

One of the Berkeley street and Andover electric cars caused considerable annoyance and delay in the traffic Sunday evening by getting off the track at Shattuck street.

Lizzie Stack, daughter of Michael Stack, received a bad fracture of the elbow last week by a fall from a high fence. Dr. Conroy, who attended her, says the little girl is doing nicely.

The annual Florists and Gardeners' association flower show will be held at the Town hall, Thursday and Friday, Nov. 8 and 9. A list of the premiums will be found elsewhere in the Townsman.

John W. Bell received a cable from Liverpool, Wednesday, announcing the safe arrival of his daughter, Miss Alice, at that port after a fairly good passage of nearly seven days' time. Miss Bell proceeded at once to Ghent, Belgium, where she will be located, if nothing prevents, for the next year.

Postmaster Dearborn of Wakefield, was in town calling on friends last Tuesday afternoon. He was formerly a printer and so a visit to the Andover Press was not forgotten. Mr. Dearborn was much pleased with the pleasant and commodious quarters afforded by the Press office and with the facilities and equipments of the printery.

A. P. Richardson has a new jobbing wagon which makes a fine appearance and looks capable of helping out his jobbing business not a little. The wagon was constructed by Snow Bros., of Lawrence, and while it is essentially a wagon to be used for heavy moving and the like, it may readily be utilized for carrying passengers, as a pair of steps can be attached at the rear.

Rev. Lyman H. Blake, late pastor of the Congregational church, Essex, Mass., was buried Monday afternoon in the Mather lot in the Chapel cemetery. He was graduated from the Theological seminary in 1867, and had held pastorates successively in River Parish, R. I., Rowley, Methuen, Roxbury, and Westfield. At the grave a brief service was held, Rev. S. LeRoy Blake, D. D., a brother, and Dr. C. F. P. Bancroft, a seminary classmate, officiating.

A series of special Sunday evening services were begun at the Free church last Sunday evening with a missionary meeting. Next Sunday, Rev. Mr. Wilson will lecture on "Church Attendance." The general subject will be "Some Problems of the Times" and the program for the series follows: Oct. 21, Praise Service, "The Musical Miller;" Oct. 28, Lecture, "The Tobacco Habit;" Nov. 4, Missionary service; Nov. 11, Lecture, "The Drink Habit;" Nov. 18, Praise Service, "Simon Jasper;" Nov. 25, Lecture, "The Amusement Question;" Dec. 2, Missionary service; Dec. 9, Lecture, "The Business Question;" Dec. 23, Christmas concert by the Sunday school at six o'clock; Dec. 30, Lecture, "Profit and Loss."

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Arthur Bliss, Druggist.

Andover plays the Harvard second eleven tomorrow afternoon.

Closed cars have arrived for the Reading line and are expected to be running the last of the week.

The presentation of the Passion play at St. Augustine's church was very good. It brought together an audience of about 600 people.

A new switch has been placed in position at the street railway turnout opposite Shattuck street on South Broadway, Lawrence.

Many people from Andover attended the Shakespearean recital in Library hall, Lawrence, last Monday given by Marshall Darrach of New York.

Rev. Dr. J. G. Merrill of Fisk University, has been in town this week. He preached at Berkley Temple, Boston, last Sunday, and will preach in Salem, Sunday.

The Sunday school of the Baptist church will hold a Harvest concert next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. A collection will be taken for Bible missionary work.

The Golf club has commenced to build a club house on the links. It is situated among the trees on the ledge across Rabbit's pond and will be a snug little building when finished.

Mrs. W. E. Stratton, teacher of the mandolin, guitar and banjo, will be at Miss Morrill's, cor. School and Abbot streets, Thursdays. Mrs. Stratton has had several years experience as a teacher here in Andover, Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Miss Hersey's school, Boston, etc.

Mrs. Stratton has received instruction from several well known New York teachers on the Mandolin, and from J. B. Maldura of Rome, Italy, and on the guitar from Louis T. Romero, the famous guitar soloist.

The new piece of state road on South Main street over the hill has been finished by Superintendent Lovejoy for the town and the highway commissioners accepted it yesterday. Starting from where the piece constructed in 1899 left off, just this side of the Hill place, it runs toward Andover 3000 feet ending a short distance beyond the John Abbott place, toward Reading. Mr. Lovejoy has put in several fine pieces of state road in Andover and this last strip, little over half a mile in length, is no exception.

The following names were added to the voting list at the meeting of the board of registrars Monday night: Edward C. Carter, James F. Conlon, James H. Donaldson, William M. Gordon, James H. Greene, Warren Hackett, Charles A. Hill, Mark M. Keane, Peter H. Markey, Edward M. McCabe, Hamilton G. Merrill, J. August Noel, John H. Offer, George A. B. Prescott, Harry G. Saunders, Peter Smith, Stewart J. Smith, Alfred E. Stearns, James Sullivan, Jeremiah Sullivan, Arthur P. Tuttle, William L. Welch, Josiah Wright.

The selectmen have appointed the following precinct officers for the coming election in November: Precinct 1—Warden, George A. Higgins; deputy warden, Frank H. Hardy; clerk, William J. Burns; deputy clerk, Daniel A. Collins; inspectors, Louis A. Dane, William J. Doherty; deputy inspectors, Ralph R. Ross, J. Frank Morse; Precinct 2—Warden, Howell F. Wilson; deputy warden, Frank E. Parkhurst; clerk, Owen F. Caffrey; deputy clerk, John J. Burke; inspectors, Nathan E. Mears, Daniel H. Poor; deputy inspectors, Oscar Newcomb, Martin J. McKeon.

The annual meeting of the Andover auxiliary of the McCall association was held Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. John Alden, on Pumphrey avenue at 3:30 o'clock. Reports from the various officers were read and accepted. Miss M. S. Merrill gave a short account of her visit to the McCall mission in Paris. Nearly the same board of officers as last year was elected as follows: President, Miss Jackson; treasurer, Miss Emily Carter; secretary, Miss Maria S. Merrill. The new collectors appointed were Miss Annie Smart of the Free church and Miss Harriet G. Dodson of the West church.

Red ears and merriment made a lively time at the big barn of S. H. Bailey in the Phillips district last evening. The occasion was a husking bee by the Epworth league of the Haverhill Street M. E. church of Lawrence. The young people came over on special electric, arriving shortly after eight o'clock. There was fun galore. Everybody had a rattling good time. An old fashioned New England supper, consisting of Boston baked beans, cold meats, pumpkin pie and doughnuts, was served at one end of the big barn during the evening. And mine host Bailey had about 100 bushels of corn husked for him.

Sixteen of the little friends of Louis Sherman Paine, the six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua L. Paine of 48 Summer street, gathered at his home last Saturday afternoon to celebrate with him his sixth birthday anniversary. From 2 until 5 o'clock the children made merry, and a right good time they had. During the afternoon they sat down to a table laden with goodies, in the midst of which was a birthday cake with six candles. Before the table was depleted of the tempting cakes and confections, Photographer Charles Newman took a picture of the table and of the children. Master Louis was the recipient of many presents, including money, flowers, a suit of clothes from his grandpa, and other things. Each child went home at 5 o'clock, carrying with him a souvenir box of candy.

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Singing Class at the Guild.

There will be held during the winter a class in singing, provided that at least thirty young people are interested to join such a class. The class will be under the direction of John Batchelder well known in the town for his successful work with the choir of Christ church. Instruction will be given in sight reading, tone production and four part singing.

A cantata will be studied early in the season. The class will be held on Thursday evenings at the Guild house. The terms will be one dollar for a course of twelve lessons payable in advance. Those desiring to join the class may send their names either to Mr. Batchelder or Mrs. Scott.

B. Frank Wardwell of Summer street, is seriously ill with the grip.

Miss H. E. Giddings and Miss E. J. Abbott attended the D. A. R. convention at Lowell this week.

Members of Lincoln lodge, No. 78, A. O. U. W., visited the Reading lodge of workmen last evening.

Walter L. Raymond Camp, 111, S. of V., was inspected by Past Captain Walton of Camp 70, Melrose, last Wednesday evening.

Fred M. Hill and family have moved to the house on Railroad street formerly occupied by Superintendent W. H. Coleman of the electric light station, who recently got into his new house.

Walter Lamont, Clinton Pomeroy, Henry Bodwell and Ralph Coleman, members of the Washington mill republican club, went to Salem to parade last Wednesday evening.

The Degree of Honor held a children's night at their last meeting in A. O. U. W. hall, Friday evening. Children furnished most of the entertainment which consisted of music, dialogues, and recitations.

The popular Free open air concerts given by the Rol Electric Belt Concert Co. on the vacant lot in the rear of the Post office, will be continued nightly until the middle of next week. A crisp, bright, clean, snappy programme will be furnished. Everybody invited. Everything free. Concert prompt at 7.45.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Rhodes observed their 18th wedding anniversary last Wednesday evening by entertaining the local Degree of Honor lodge. In all there were about 31 present, most of them from Andover, although Lawrence and Methuen were also represented.

Music, recitations, cards and kindred amusements occupied the time of the company during the evening. Ice cream and cake were served.

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ODD ITEMS FROM EVERYWHERE.

It has been shown by the egograph records that the young child's endurance of girls does not increase in the same proportion with the age as the endurance of boys, from which it is suggested that after a certain age boys and girls should not be educated together, nor should girls bear the same school burden as boys after that age. Ornamental telegraph poles will ere long be visible in Georgia. On the line of the Stateboro railroad the poles are made of cypress and must have been planted with the roots. They are certainly sprouting at the top, and will soon serve as shade trees, beside supporting the wires. Think of an imitation carpet made of stone. Some of the more recently erected houses in the German cities

a design imitating a staircase carpet, of any desired color, is pressed into the steps when the material of which they are made is still soft. The figures penetrate a considerable depth.

Nearly 20 years ago Congress passed a special act donating an 880-pound cannon to a Grand Army post at Attleboro, Mass., and the piece was mounted on the top of a tall granite shaft as a soldiers' monument. Recently a gang of daring thieves carted the cannon away in broad daylight, and parts of it have just been recovered from a junk dealer who innocently purchased the same. Most of the metal has been melted up and run into various kinds of castings.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

ANNUAL EXHIBITION

Florists' and Gardeners' in the Town
Hall Friday and Saturday,
Nov. 8 and 9.

The annual exhibition of the Florists' and Gardeners' club will be held in the Town hall next month and the list of premiums is published below. Entries should be made in two weeks.

CLASS I. CUT FLOWERS.

Chrysanthemums.

- Best 12 blooms, white, any variety, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best 12 blooms, yellow, any variety, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best 12 blooms, pink, any variety, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best 25 blooms, any color, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best collection, 5 varieties, 12 of each, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best 12 blooms, white, 1st prize, \$1.00; 2d, 50c
- Best 25 blooms, any variety, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00

Pinks.

- Best 50 blooms, single, 1st prize, \$1.00; 2d, 50c
- Best 50 blooms, double, 1st prize, \$1.00; 2d, 50c
- Best 50 pansies, 1st prize, \$1.00; 2d, 50c

Violets.

- Best 50 blooms, single, 1st prize, \$1.00; 2d, 50c
- Best vase of any flowers, not including chrysanthemums, not less than 12 blooms, 1st prize, \$1.00; 2d, 50c
- Best vase of roses, 12 blooms, any variety, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00

CLASS II. PLANTS.

- Best specimen Chrysanthemum plant, any variety, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best 3 Chrysanthemum plants, different varieties, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best 6 Chrysanthemums, different varieties, single stem, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best collection of Chrysanthemum plants, not to exceed 15 pots, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best artistic arrangement of Ferns not to exceed 20 pots, 1st prize, \$3.00; 2d, \$2.00
- Best artistic arrangement of decorative plants, 1st prize, \$3.00; 2d, \$2.00
- Best pan of plants for table decoration, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best collection of Begonias, not to exceed 18 pots, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best display of bedding plants, in pots, 1st prize, \$3.00; 2d, \$2.00
- Best collection of Evergreens, suitable for indoor decoration, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best specimen Geranium, 1st prize, 75c; 2d, 50c
- Best specimen Asparagus Sprengeri, 1st prize, 75c; 2d, 50c

CLASS III.

- Best collection of Vegetables, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00
- Best collection of Onions, any variety, not to exceed 24 of each, 1st prize, \$1.00; 2d, 50c
- Best 6 roots Celery, any variety, 1st prize, \$1.00; 2d, 50c
- Best collection of Parsnips, Carrots, Beets and Turnips, not to exceed 12 of each, 1st prize, \$1.00; 2d, 50c

CLASS IV.

- Best collection of Fruit, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00

CLASS V. Amateurs.

- Best collection of Plants, 1st prize, 50c; 2d, 25c
- Best specimen Geranium, 1st prize, 50c; 2d, 25c
- Best specimen of Palm, 1st prize, 50c; 2d, 25c
- Best specimen of Fern, 1st prize, 50c; 2d, 25c
- Best specimen Begonia, 1st prize, 50c; 2d, 25c
- Best Rubber Plant, 1st prize, 50c; 2d, 25c
- Best 6 Cabbages, 1st prize, 50c; 2d, 25c
- Best 12 Onions, 1st prize, 50c; 2d, 25c
- Best 12 Potatoes, 1st prize, 50c; 2d, 25c
- Best 6 roots Celery, 1st prize, 50c; 2d, 25c
- Best collection of Parsnips, Beets, and Carrots, 12 of each, 1st prize, \$1.00; 2d, 50c
- Best specimen Asparagus Sprengeri, 1st prize, 75c; 2d, 50c
- Best Miniature garden open to both classes, 1st prize, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.00

All exhibits for premiums shall be entered at least one week before the opening of the exhibition, the date of which will be published later. The officers of the association are: J. H. Playdon, president; J. D. Fairweather secretary and treasurer, 17 Abbot street; George D. Millett, George Piddington, executive committee.

STEPPED INTO LIVE COALS.

"When a child I burned my foot frightfully," writes W. H. Eads, of Jonesville, Va., "which caused horrible leg sores for 30 years, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured me after everything else failed." Infalible for burns, scalds, cuts, sores, bruises and piles. Sold by Arthur Bliss, 25c.

MISCELLANY.

The first yacht race ever recorded was that sailed in 1662, when Charles II matched a yacht of 25 tons, called the Jamie, against a small Dutch yacht, under the duke of York, from Greenwich to Gravesend, when the king in his capacity of amateur helmsman was successful in beating the boat steered by his brother. The first yacht known was the Mary, which was presented to Charles II by the Dutch. Hitherto even the name had been unknown in England, and it is only during the last 100 years that yacht racing has become at all general.

There probably was never a parallel in Maine history to the Waldo county instance last week, when a father and son were admitted to the bar at the same time. Charles H. Buzzell of Monroe, aged 65, a well-to-do farmer and for 19 years a justice of the peace, and his son, Hodgdon C. Buzzell, aged 22, passed the examination together and will practice at the Waldo bar.

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The Wilds of Maine.

Hunting Song, by A. C. Dickson, Andover, Mass. (for music.)

Up and away to the wood and the glade,
To the rock and the stream and the forest shade,
Where the moose and the deer their home have made,
In the rugged wilds of Maine.

Chorus—
Ho, sportsmen ho, for mountain and forest and lake,
We rise with the sun, and with dog and with gun,
We hunt 'mong the rocks and the brake,
Ho, sportsmen ho, when the dogs have the scent and the pace,
There is naught to compare, with the cool bracing air,
And the huntman's keen joy of the chase.

Where the caribou and the grizzly bear,
And the fox and the lynx have made their lair,
And the bobtail scuds past the timorous hare,
In the rugged wilds of Maine.

Chorus
At the crack of the rifle, we halt and gaze;
The wounded moose no more shall graze;
Another shot, and he ends his days,
In the rugged wilds of Maine.

Chorus
Tired with the chase, when the day declines,
The huntman rests 'mong the scented pines,
And in nature's bosom soft reclines,
In the rugged wilds of Maine.

Chorus

FOOTBALL.

Phillips Andover or Holy Cross.

Although neither Andover nor Holy Cross could score in the football game on the campus last Saturday afternoon, Andover virtually outplayed her opponents at every point of the game. Only once or twice was the college eleven able to get anywhere within striking distance of Andover's goal and then the two attempts at place kicks from the field were miserable failures, both going very wide. Andover once had the ball on her opponent's five yard line but lost ten yards from side line coaching and on the next down, the ball went to Holy Cross on a fumble.

Fumbling still remains the weak point in the Andover team. For almost every yard gained by rushing the ball Saturday, as much was lost by fumbling. Reeves was the chief offender in this respect. Holy Cross fooled Andover twice on a double pass but could not gain through the Andover line after the first few moments play, losing the ball on downs several times. Stoddard out punted Reed and made one good attempt at a goal from the field. The kick was blocked however, as he was left unprotected on the right side. All the backs, Collins especially made good gains through the collegians' line. Cooley and Weeks also made some good plunges for the necessary distance nearly every time.

The tactics of the Holy Cross eleven and supporters throughout the game were anything but what constitutes good football so that the spectators became thoroughly disgusted with the players. Andover played a fierce tackling game and in consequence Loller, Baldwin and Reed of Holy Cross were put out. Matthews, in making a tackle was injured, dislocating his left shoulder, driving the bone up under his collar bone. He will be out of the game for a week or ten days at least, possibly for the rest of the season. Burke, who took his place, and Gates on the other end, played well. The line-up:

ANDOVER HOLY CROSS.
Cates, l e, r e Ruddy
Cooley l t, r t, Loller (Noon)
Weeks, l g, r g, King
Barney, c, c, McCabe
Kinney, r g, l g, Chagge
Stoddard, r t, l t, Rice
Matthews (Burke) r e, l e, Sullivan
Reeves, qb, q b, Shields
Stoddard l h b, r h b, Baldwin, Dowd
Collins, r h b, l h b, Scollay
Levine l b, f b, Reed (Cahill)
Score—Andover, 0; Holy Cross, 0. Umpire—Mercer. Referee—Freeman. Linesmen—Murphy and Ryan. Timekeeper—Chase. Time—20 and 15-minute halves.

Phillips Andover Brieflets.

The year's preliminary catalogue is due next Monday.

Bloomer has been out of several of the recent games at Yale through injuries.

C. E. Chapman, P. A. '98, a baseball player here, and first base at Princeton, is reported to have entered Tufts.

F. J. O'Connor, P. A. 1900, a member of the '99 football team, came out for the Harvard freshman eleven this week.

The annual fall handicap meet and class relay races at Phillips Academy will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 23, at the upper campus.

Mr. Simmons, father of J. I. Simmons, P. S. 1901, and F. H. Simmons, P. A. '94, died at his home in Brooklyn, N. Y., Tuesday night.

Irving J. French, well known here while he was at Phillips academy, has been chosen vice president of the Republican club at Dartmouth college.

Four companies will compose the Phillips academy battalion. R. W. E. Hazenwinkle has been appointed general and he will have as aids, Col. Halpin and Col. Childs.

Jones, formerly of Phillips Andover, a crack runner, and brother of Jones the ex-P. E. football player, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Jones is now employed with a wholesale grocery concern in Boston.

Kendall, a halfback at Harvard on the victorious '98 eleven and on last year's team assisted Schweppes in coaching the Andover eleven yesterday. Captain Daly of Harvard, says that more attention will be paid to Andover in the future in order that Harvard may get more athletes from here.

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LAWRENCE

John Miller has been visiting in Providence.

J. V. Baker of Providence, R. I., has been in town.

Mathew Powers has recovered from his recent illness.

Charles F. Burke has been in town from Boston.

A. E. Bevington of Lowell was in town recently.

Miss Margaret Shea is visiting in Newton Centre.

John Dering of Lowell has been in this city recently.

Charles H. Leslie of Worcester was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Alec Bowie is seriously ill at her home on Garden street.

Charles Palmer of Beverly is visiting among friends in town.

George L. Rollins of Salem was a recent visitor in this city.

Miss Katherine O'Brien of Jackson terrace is ill at her home.

Frank L. Danvers has been in this city lately from Manchester.

William Walker of Haverhill is the guest of friends at South Lawrence.

F. W. Hardy and George E. White of Boston were in this city last week.

Mrs. Steers of Whittier's Hill Amesbury, was visiting in town last week.

Miss Mary A. Burns of Newbury street, has returned from a visit in Boston.

John A. Johnson of Boston has been the guest of his parents of Beacon street.

Ivar G. Sjostrom, wife and family, will sojourn for two months in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Carrie Currier and son, Carl, of East Haverhill street, are visiting in Brookfield, Vt.

Bert Freeman has resigned his position with G. H. Woodman the Essex street shoe dealer.

P. O. Reardon of Boston, formerly of Lawrence, is critically ill at his home in Charlestown.

William M. Allen and Eugene Sullivan of Providence, R. I., have been in this city recently.

Miss Minnie Neal, of the class of 1900 of the Lawrence high school has entered Wellesley college.

Miss Mamie Keating has returned to her home on Tremont street after visiting relatives in Waltham.

Charles Wilson of the Boston & Maine road, visited H. S. Wilson at Ayers village, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Armstrong are on a trip to New York. They will visit Mr. Armstrong's old home at Rochester, and also visit at Westport, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce White of Chelsea have returned home after visiting at the residence of Miss Eva Crompton on Oxford street.

Charles F. Smith of the firm of J. D. Morehouse Co., grocers and bakers has returned from four weeks enjoyably spent at Nova Scotia.

Mrs. C. Stanley and daughter Helen occupied the terrace left yesterday for a short stay at Mrs. Stanley's brother's country home at Lowell, Me.

Mr. Marshall Darrach of New York will give two Shakespeare recitals in Library Hall on Oct. 15 and 16 when "Merchant of Venice," and "Julius Caesar" will be rendered. Mr. Darrach comes endorsed by many eminent critics as a reciter and impersonator of very great ability. Tickets at the door. Recital begins at 8 o'clock.

Protective lodge, American Benefit society of Lowell entertained 30 members of the Supreme Grand lodge and of Rolfe lodge of this city Monday evening. An informal reception was followed by a banquet. The entertainment program consisted of songs by Miss Lizzie Wilson and Mr. Ralph Lord and piano solos by Miss Marion Perkins. There were speeches by J. H. Moran of the Supreme lodge, and president of the local lodge, and C. O. Puffer, deputy supreme president; Past President Geo. F. Hawes, Past President J. A. Janvrin, Mrs. M. L. Hall, vice president of Rolfe lodge; John Scott, secretary of Rolfe lodge; Mr. Culcchone of Rolfe lodge; Dr. W. P. Sawyer of Protection lodge.

SECOND NIGHT OF BAZAR.

The second night of the bazar of Stephen J. Ryan camp of Spanish War veterans opened successfully Friday evening.

The success was much the same as that of Thursday night. The tables were under the supervision of another corps of young ladies of the Relief corps. They were: Mystery table, Misses Catherine Kelly, Mary Kennelly, Marymie Waldron, Marymie Mahoney, refreshments, Annie Ryan, Mary Ryan, Agnes Connor, and Mary Hart.

A SHAKESPEAREAN RECITAL.

Before a very select audience of about 200 persons, Marshall Darrach of New York, rendered sketches from Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice," in Library hall Monday evening. His efforts were highly pleasing to his attentive and interested audience.

Mr. Darrach came to this city by subscription, his manager first having obtained the pledge of about one hundred of Lawrence's foremost citizens to subscribe \$3 which entitled them to two tickets each. His interpretations of the various characters of the great Shakespearean play was excellent and from the time that he was introduced to his audience till he made his final act, there was not a dull or uninteresting moment.

The literary exercises commenced at 8 o'clock and Edmund J. Ford and Sherman Lewis of the high school acted as ushers.

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Corner Stone.

The memorial stone of the Wood Memorial Free Baptist church was successfully laid Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A large number attended and witnessed the proceedings. The stone itself is a handsome one. It is two feet seven inches long by one foot six inches high by 18 inches thick. It was placed in position by James I. Milliken about in the center of the front wall and bears the inscription:

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1900.

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In the center of the top is a square hole in which is fitted a sealed copper box, 6x6x10 inches, containing mementoes of the occasion. The box contained among other articles, rituals of the Free Baptist faith; a copy of the records of the organization here and the names of the members and officers; list of names and officers of the Aid society of the Sunday school; list of the names and officers of the Junior Christian Endeavor society of the church; copies of the Telegram, Eagle, and American, of the Boston Herald and Journal, "The Watchman," a Baptist paper; a brief sketch of Carletonville, written by F. E. Carleton; sketch of how the church came to be formed, which was a proviso of the will of the late James M. Wood, founder of the Wood homes for aged people at the corner of Bailey and Blanchard streets, South Lawrence.

The program of exercises in brief were as follows: Opening hymn, Congregation Invocation, Rev. W. S. Beyanson Scripture reading, Rev. J. M. Remick of Haverhill Prayer, Rev. B. M. Osmond of Cambridge Address, How We Came to Be, Rev. W. J. Twort Anthem, There is a Fountain Filled with Blood, Choral Reading of List of Contents in Memorial Box, Deacon James I. Milliken Layin' of Memorial Stone, Prayer, Rev. W. J. Twort

A LAWRENCE MAN'S INVENTION.

The Boston Journal of Commerce and Textile Industries contains the following:

"Frank Miner of Lawrence has an invention that relates to machines for extracting water from fabrics in which the fabric is spread or stretched and subjected to the action of a suction apparatus which draws the water through the back of the fabric and carries the water away from the face or right side so that the face is prevented from being clouded or streaked by the 'bleeding' of the dye or coloring matter with which the body and backing of the fabric is impregnated.

"It is evident that the sprinkler pipe must be so arranged to deposit water on the face side of the fabric, so that it will be drawn through it, and from the back side, by the suction apparatus, enabling the machine to be used for dampening fabric introduced in a dry condition into the machine, the water being forced into the fabric by the rubber covered rolls and drawn through the fabric and from the back by suction. The fabric may thus be properly dampened preparatory to the pressing operation, or it may be sponged, or shrunk in this way before being cut up and made up. The machine may be advantageously used as a sponging machine. The sprinkler pipe may discharge water directly on the upper surface of the roll, the liquid being carried by the surface of the roll to the face of the fabric.

ANNUAL WHIPPET RACE.

The Lawrence Whippet club held its first annual whippet race Saturday at Glen Forest. The day was ideal for sport and a good crowd of spectators was in attendance. The affair was exciting, the dogs entering into the spirit of the affair. There were eight heats before the finals. "Broken Leg," Fall River, took the first; "Bossie Old," Lowell the second; "Jolly Pete," Lowell, the third; "Mascot" Lowell (the fourth); "Nelson," Lowell, the fifth; the sixth was a dead heat between "Little Bobs" of Lowell and "Paddy" of Fall River. In the run off "Paddy" won. The seventh heat was taken by "Ring Tail" of Thornton, R. I., and the eighth by "Billy" of Fall River. The finals were led by "Ring Tail," first; "Nelson" second and "Mascot" third. Another race may soon be held. James Gresson of Fall River was handicapper and James Cadogan of this city referee.

TO BE TRIED AGAIN.

The alleged Cold Spring Brewery burglars, John Brown, Frank Gold and John Williams, who were tried for murder at Dover, N. H., Williams being convicted and the other two acquitted, will have to stand another trial for murder in Dover before they can be brought to Lawrence, and tried for burglary.

The Dover police authorities have decided to try the men for killing John McNally who was shot the same night as Thomas Dobbins, of whose murder Williams has been found guilty. The new trial will take place about Nov. 1. The Lawrence police cannot let the men, therefore, until the conclusion of the new trial.

CULLINANE SUES THE CITY.

Architect Richard Cullinane has brought suit against the city to recover \$219.75 alleged to be due him for services in connection with the construction of the ward five engine house.

The bill was presented last year, but both Mayor Eaton and Supt. Kingson refused to approve it. This year Mayor Leonard has refused to approve the bill. It is claimed by the city that Mr. Cullinane has received all that is due him.

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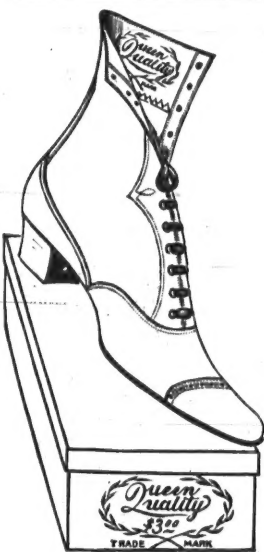
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A Thoughtless Abuse.

These few words are written to some of the very best people in Andover, and their very worthy but thoughtless coachmen.

Several years ago the Townsman used every influence it possessed to have a crossing placed from the sidewalk opposite the railroad station to the station door. No one little thing ever seemed to require so much hammering as this did, but it finally came and the walking patrons of the B. & M. rejoiced. But their joy was short-lived for if the words of very many estimable citizens are to be believed, the aristocratic horses have pre-empted every foot of this walk, and the muddier the day, the closer they huddle. The charge from the train to the sidewalk opposite, on the arrival of important trains, resembles a Rough Rider battle action, with a much larger element of danger promised the pedestrian than the Spanish war ever afforded.

Now we do not believe the good people who are fortunate enough to own horses and carriages realize what an imposition they are working. A thoughtless act has become a general custom that is now an abuse, and it is high time the abuse should cease.

If we may be permitted a suggestion, would it not be a happy solution of the difficulty for the carriages to stop along the sidewalk opposite the station and their owners walk over the crossing to them, the same as the ordinary pedestrian would like to do.

A Favorable Turn.

While earnest citizens are interesting themselves to keep off the second track from Main street, or to keep any track from School street, or to shut all tracks from all streets, we are gratified to be able to announce that strong influences are at work to bring about an arbitration of the differences between the two companies, that shall be satisfactory to them and the Andover citizens. While it is yet too early to foretell what success is likely to attend such efforts, it is violating no confidence to say that the prospects are good.

We do not recall any local difficulty for a long time where the people seemed to be so much aroused as they are over the present street railway muddle, and it is sure that whoever succeeds in bringing about a satisfactory settlement will be considered a public benefactor.

Editorial Cinders.

Andover voters are going to be very much pleased at the opportunity which the democratic nomination for county treasurer gives them to vote for their townsman E. Kendall Jenkins. That he is to be designated as a democrat on the official ballot will make not a particle of difference to thousands of voters in the county, who know him only as a most efficient treasurer, a splendid citizen, and a man worthy of the very highest confidence.

His throw down by the Lynn political tricksters is not likely to be forgotten for a long time, and the first fruit which that action is likely to bear is the defeat of the man who was thus nominated. If every believer in clean politics votes for Mr. Jenkins for county treasurer he will be elected by several thousand.

An action of considerable local interest was taken at North Andover last Friday night, when, after the Representative convention had adjourned, the delegates present voted unanimously that it was their opinion that the Republican nomination in 1901 should go to Middleton. While such a vote has no binding force, it shows that a representative delegation believes in carrying out the spirit of fair play to the very end; and that's the right thing to do every time.

There are nearly two hundred citizens in Andover over 21 years of age who are not eligible as voters because they are not registered. Carelessness is largely responsible for this condition, but there are a few who undoubtedly shirk the duty willfully. To vote, one must be registered, and there is no more solemn obligation in our civic life than the obligation to vote. Let's see 199 of this 200 placed on the lists before election day. The next dates are Oct. 23, and Oct. 27, at the town house.

There are many favorable notices of the Townsman Tell Tale. The change of one train on Sunday, from Boston at 8.40 instead of 7.12, came after a large part of the edition was printed but no other errors are noted. A twelfth of an ounce, in a lady's pocket-book or in a gentleman's vest-pocket, provides a ton of information.

REPRESENTATIVE CONVENTION

James C. Poor of North Andover Renominated for a Second Term.

The meeting of the delegates to the 8th Essex representative republican district convention was held at the Selectmen's rooms in North Andover last Friday evening. James C. Poor was again unanimously chosen as the republican candidate for representative from the district which includes the towns of Andover, North Andover and Middleton.

William Halliday, of North Andover, chairman of the district committee, called the convention to order shortly after 8 o'clock and was elected temporary chairman with John N. Cole of Andover, as temporary secretary.

Thomas K. Gilman of North Andover, E. J. Rowe of Andover, and Ralph G. Peabody of Middleton, were appointed a committee on credentials. They reported 15 delegates present divided as follows: Andover 8; North Andover 6; Middleton 1.

The convention then completed its permanent organization by choosing Ralph G. Peabody of Middleton, as chairman and John N. Cole of Andover as secretary. Barnett Rogers of Andover, was appointed a committee of one to present Mr. Peabody to the convention as permanent chairman.

Upon a motion by Thomas K. Gilman of North Andover, James C. Poor, also of North Andover, was renominated by acclamation, for the office of representative.

It was voted that the chairmen of the three towns act as a district committee. A motion that in case of death or inability of the candidate for representative, the vacancy should be filled by the district committee, was carried.

Barnett Rogers of Andover, and John Barker of North Andover, were appointed as a committee to escort Mr. Poor before the convention.

The latter came before the convention and thanked it heartily for the honor which had been conferred upon him. After cigars had been passed around the convention dissolved.

Republican Campaign Club Organized.

Last Wednesday evening, the young Republicans of Andover gathered in the lower town hall at the call of the Republican town committee and organized a campaign club, starting with a little over thirty members.

John N. Cole, chairman of the town committee, acted as chairman of the meeting and explained the object of the gathering, stating that the age limit would have to be eighteen years or older. He said that the Republican town committee would help the young men financially. A paper was presented on which some thirty young men enrolled their names.

The suggestion that committees on organization and recruiting be appointed was thought favorably upon and the following committees were appointed: Organization — Charles McDermitt, Joseph Myerscough, William M. Coutts, P. K. Jenkins and Gordon May; recruiting — John Morrissey, Arthur Cheever, John Welch, Cutter Foster and Harry Chadwick.

Mr. Rogers thought organization should be effected at once, without waiting for more members to join and the organization committee retired and nominated the following list of officers, who were elected: Captain, Joseph Myerscough; 1st Lieut., Gordon May; 2nd Lieut., William M. Coutts; Sergeants, David Coutts, Jack Lawson, Philip Jenkins; Corporals, John Morrissey, Cutter Foster, H. Chadwick.

The town committee announced that the headquarters would be open for their use and that meetings might be held there. It is expected that samples of uniforms will soon be received and that the young men will be in shape to parade by Friday, Oct. 26, when a big parade will be held in Lawrence. An adjourned meeting of the brigade, which has not yet been named, will be held at the lower town hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

Surprised by His Friends.

Expecting to have a quiet little game of "cribbage" with a neighbor and friend, imagine the amazement of F. H. Knight when all unsuspectingly he answered a ring at the door bell at his pleasant home on Maple avenue last evening, to find a gathering of fifty friends to greet him instead of two. But he mastered his astonishment and cordially invited his callers to enter and make themselves at home.

Mr. Knight, the popular express agent for B. B. Tuttle, or Bert as he is better known by his friends, was afflicted with a birthday only a few days ago and his friends found it out, accordingly the party.

The scheme was fostered by members of Crystal Rebecca lodge of Lawrence, to which Mrs. Knight belongs, and among whom her husband has a deserved popularity. Mrs. Knight was a party to the project and was, therefore, not at all taken by surprise or unawares, except in one instance, and that when M. D. Currier of Lawrence, in behalf of the gathering, presented Mr. and Mrs. Knight with a handsome banquet lamp and Mr. Knight with a fine German stein. Both responded as best they could to Mr. Currier's words, expressing their thanks for the gifts.

Not a little merriment was occasioned when Mrs. Gallison read what purported to be Mr. Knight's last will and testament. Whist and a general good time ensued for a few short hours, but before the guests departed, Mrs. Knight showed that she had not been entirely unprepared for their visitation by inviting her guests to partake of some light refreshments.

The gathering consisted almost wholly of members of Crystal Rebecca lodge, with their husbands or gentlemen friends, with several intimate friends of Mr. and Mrs. Knight's from Andover. Guests left on the 10.45 car for Lawrence.

DAUGHTER MAKES STATEMENT.

Ayer's Village, Haverhill, Mass., Oct. 15, 1900.—Miss Helen Emerson states that her father was in poor health, and had no appetite. He began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and before he had finished two bottles his appetite was restored and his general health was greatly improved.

SIXTY YEARS MARRIED.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Andrews Had Been Wedded Three Score Years Monday

'Tis not given to many men and women the opportunity to celebrate their sixtieth wedding anniversary, and Andover has only one such couple that the Townsman knows of. Last Monday Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Andrews of South Main street, arrived at the anniversary of the day on which 60 years previous they had stood together before the Rev. John L. Taylor, one of Andover's good old bygone pastors in whose memory the beautiful stained glass window was erected at the South church. Their wedding was celebrated in the house which stood on the spot at the corner of School and Central streets, now occupied by the residence of Mrs. Esther Byers.

The groom, then a young man of not quite twenty-five years, was employed by the new railroad, the beginning of the Boston & Maine in this locality, with which he was connected for many years. His bride, a few months older, was Margaret Griffin, also an Andover girl.

Standing up with Mr. Andrews as best man, was George L. Davis of North Andover, whose own marriage occurred a few months later. Mr. Davis, now deceased, was one of the original members of the firm of Davis & Furber, North Andover, and a man whose good works and charitable deeds will live a long while.

After their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Andrews lived for a time in the house on Essex street just below the depot now occupied by John Saunders. Later the young couple moved to the house opposite the present site of the Catholic parsonage. Mr. Andrews owned the land on which his house stood as well as that across the street, now occupied by St. Augustine's church and the parsonage.

Last Monday there was no attempt to hold a regular anniversary celebration, owing to Mrs. Andrews' health, but many old friends and neighbors dropped in during the course of the day, bringing offerings of flowers of which they received a quantity. Among those who came to extend congratulations were Judge and Mrs. Merrill, Judge Peabody, Frank Peabody, cashier of the first National Bank of Peabody, and Mrs. Peabody, all from Peabody. Besides the many old neighbors and friends from Andover who remembered the day, a number came from North Andover.

Mr. Andrews' eighty-five years have touched him lightly and he still may be seen driving about town with his speedy horse, or if one calls at his comfortable home, he is likely to be found at work in the barn or about the yard. The Townsman reporter found him Wednesday afternoon picking the last of his grapes, to keep them from being frost bitten.

Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed Letters, Oct. 15, 1900.
Cleary, Miss Ellen Gately, Miss H. E.
Cohen, Mrs. MacDonald, Eva
Coffin, Craig H. McLean, Thomas
Cross, John Morrison, Chas.
Fellows, Geo. P. Stearns, Harriet J.
Foster, A. H. Watson, William
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Concert by Andover Brass Band and Raymond Male Quartet Friday Evening.

Not everybody realizes how well the Andover Brass band can play but the few people who attended the concert for the benefit of the Texas sufferers at the Town hall last Friday evening had a chance to find out. To be sure the organization was handicapped by a practically empty hall but they played well notwithstanding and the eighty or ninety people who showed a desire to help their destitute fellow country men enjoyed a first rate concert.

A noticeable fact, which was spoken of by many of those present, was the almost universal absence of Andover's residents whose names are so often seen in connection with works of charity and progress. Possibly they were frightened by the words, "Promenade concert" used to designate the entertainment or had contributed in other ways to help the homeless and helpless Texans. However that may be, their absence was conspicuously evident. As a matter of fact there was no attempt to rid the concert of the customary stiffness of such occasions by promenade or conversing.

Aided by the school children, by the receipts at the door, and several of the store keepers who took an interest, the sum of \$41 was realized from the sale of tickets. As everybody gave their services, including the Raymond Male Quartet, which sang several selections very nicely, the amount made will be nearly as much as the entire sum taken in.

Following was the program rendered: Overture, Pastime, Laurendeau Selection, Torquato Tasso, Donzetti Solo (for Trombone), Delartien Polka, Bennett

William Fiddington, Jeger
Medley, A Pleasant Evening, Barri
Selection, "The Old Brigade"
Raymond Male Quartette.
Waltzes, Marina, Arr. C. W. Dalbey
Sweet Old Songs, Vandervell
Overture, Le Chevalier Breton, Herman
Gavotte, Youth and Grace, Griensvald
Selection, In Silent Mead, Emerson
Raymond Male Quartette.
Medley, Ragtime Melodies, Mackie
March, Queen of the Andes, Missal
(Introducing the Cuban National Hymn.)

FRYE VILLAGE.

Mrs. John Joyce and Mrs. Maurice Curran, of Andover, went to Baltimore Wednesday, to visit Misses Mollie Curran and Bessie Joyce.

The old sawmill in Frye Village has been demolished.

A fence has been constructed around the sewer pumping station in Marland Village.

Paul Hannigan expects to complete one of his bath houses by Christmas.

Death.

At Bridge of Allan, Scotland, on Oct. 4th, Hamilton, Willis, barrister-at-law, Middle Temple, London; only son of the late Hamilton Willis of Boston and Helen Phillips Willis of Andover, aged 27 years.

In Andover, Oct. 12, Mrs. Jessie Anderson, wife of David Anderson, Abbott village, aged 63 years, 2 months and 8 days. Funeral Wednesday, Rev. Frederic Palmer officiating. Burial was in Christ Church cemetery.

Marriage.

In Andover, Oct. 18, John W. Blakeley and Miss Minnie Adams, both of South Lawrence, by the Rev. Clarke Carter.

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CHARITABLE SOCIETIES MEET

Ladies of Free and Christ Church Elect Officers for the Year.

Annual meetings of both the Free and Christ church Ladies' Benevolent societies were held yesterday afternoon and officers for the ensuing year elected.

At the Free church the meeting was held at the vestry at 3.30 o'clock. Reports by the various officers and committees were read and accepted. The reports showed the work of the society in all branches for the past year.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. J. Newton Cole; vice president, Mrs. Stephen Jackson; secretary, Miss Ada Buchanan; treasurer, Miss Agnes Smith; directresses, Mrs. Martha Goff, Mrs. Henry Russell, Mrs. Charles E. Hussey, Mrs. David Lindsay, Mrs. James Anderson and Mrs. Joshua Paine.

Supt. of the Whatsoever society, Mrs. Fred Goff.

Supt. of Foreign Mission auxiliary, Mrs. F. A. Wilson; secretary, Miss Martha Goff.

Supt. of Mothers' meeting, Mrs. F. A. Wilson; secretary, Mrs. David Lindsay.

Supper was served at six o'clock by the ladies to which the husbands and other friends were invited. In the evening a social was held and the following program presented: Piano duet, Mrs. F. A. Wilson, Miss Annie Smart; solo, "Creole Love Song," Mrs. J. Newton Cole; clarinet solo, Roy Lindsay; song, "Voices of the Woods," Mrs. Herbert Goff; solo, "Asleep in the Deep," Will Scott. Games were played during the evening and the social came to an end at an early hour.

At Christ church the annual meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent society was held at 3.30 o'clock. A religious service was the first feature of the afternoon, with an address by the rector, Rev. Frederic Palmer. The business meeting followed.

Reports were read by the different officers and committees, showing the workings of the society for the past year. It was voted that the name of the society be changed to the Woman's Guild of Christ church, as this name was thought to be more appropriate.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. H. H. Tyer; vice presidents, Mrs. J. R. Fuller, Mrs. Frederic Palmer; secretary, Miss C. H. Swift; treasurer, Mrs. Charles L. White. Minor officers were elected, committees appointed and work for the coming year planned out.

A social tea for the ladies of the parish followed at 4.30 o'clock.

Obituary.

FREDERICK RAY.

Andover as we all know is a very varying community, owing to its schools which attract people from all parts of the land.

Not only do boys and girls come for their education, but their parents often come with them to make a home for them during their school days.

Many years ago a young couple, originally Bostonians, came from their St. Louis home with their two little daughters, and lived in our midst till after the marriage of the younger daughter, and the death of their mother.

Andover has rarely counted a more beautiful woman among her people than Mrs. Ray, or a more courteous man, or one more devoted to his family than Mr. Ray.

Owing to an accident in his early married life, Mr. Ray was obliged to give up his active business in St. Louis, for which he had unusual ability. But he never forgot to be friendly and kind. Meet him when you would he had a polite bow, or pleasant word, and that too when often suffering from nervous depression.

His long life of patient suffering came to an end last week in Newport, R. I., where he spent the closing years of his life in the quiet home of his daughter Miss Georgia, who with his married daughter Mrs. George Atherton, and her two children are his sole survivors. For them all Mr. Ray's old friends and neighbors feel the kindest sympathy.

Wedding.

WHITFORD-SMITH.

The marriage of Miss Edith Whitford, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Edwin Whitford, was celebrated on Cottage street, Norwood, recently by Rev. Charles E. Davis of Boston. The groom was Melvin Wilbur Smith of Melrose Highlands, at present principal of the Williamsburg high school. The Misses Minnie and Grace Whitford, sisters of the bride acted as maids of honor. Willis A. Smith of Melrose, brother of the groom was best man. Only the relatives and a few intimate friends were present at the ceremony.

A reception followed after which Mr. and Mrs. Smith left on their wedding journey. They will reside at Haydensville, Williamsburg. Guests from Andover attended the wedding.

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Changes in Time-Table.

The changes of time were made by the Boston & Maine railroad this week and the more important ones were the 4.00 p. m. train to Boston to 4.10 and from Boston the 6.05 p. m. to 6.01 on weekdays. On Sundays, the 9.01 p. m. train to Boston leaves at 7.43 and the 9.11 at 7.45, arriving at 8.22 and 8.56 respectively. The 8.40 summer train from Boston, petitioned for by Andover people, and others, has been retained. The 4.00 p. m. Lowell train now leaves a minute later, while the 2.25 train from Lowell to Andover, leaves at 2.30 p. m., and the 5.18 p. m., at 5.17. The late train connecting with the 11.15 from Boston has been taken off. On Sundays the last train leaves Andover for Lowell at 9.11 instead of 7.55, p. m., and returning from Lowell the last train is the 8.45 p. m., as through the summer.

SECOND MEETING HOUSE.

Discourse by Rev. F. R. Shipman Sunday for the South Church's 129th Anniversary.

(In accordance to the Townsman's kind request for publication of portions of this discourse, the writer gladly takes this opportunity to acknowledge the assistance given to its preparation by "C. H. A." articles in this newspaper on "Historical Andover.")

For our text (Ezra 11, 12) I have gone to Ezra's account of the building of the second Temple in Jerusalem. In several respects that occasion and the occasion which has recalled it were unlike. I have already narrated to you of that pathetic scene where a handful of Jews in the desolated capital of their annihilated nation, amid the sad, splendid memories of the city of David, laid the poor foundations of their second sanctuary. On that day the bystanders could not discern the noise of the shout of joy from the noise of the weeping. But the founders of our own second sanctuary were men of a new land, in a lately broken wilderness, and this very undertaking was an emphatic symbol of their self-confident energy and their pervasive hopefulness. Deeper than this, however, it symbolized the temple-building instinct in man, his desire to have one building within his vision lifted above common uses, significant of a connection between him and the Unseen and Eternal. And in this deepest meaning of the scene, the church-rearing at Roger's Rock agreed with that on the hill of Zion.

The first meeting house for the worshippers of the South Parish was built only about 25 years before the second; but even that short time had racked its wooden frame and seen the growth of a congregation too large for its capacity. In June of 1732 it was decided to build a New Meeting house upon the School house hill, alias known and commonly called Roger's hill. The next things to do were to provide for the means and to elect a building committee. For the first, the parish voted to 'Raise a Tax Double to their province tax to be paid by the last of January next.' This would bring in 142 pounds (\$700), which would be enough to start on.

The building committee was headed by Barachias Farnum, a dweller on this side of the river, a farmer like all his associates. Next to him stood a representative of the farther river-side, Benjamin Abbott. He lived across the bridge at the foot of Central street, where descendants of his through his eldest daughter are living still. Then came another West Parish man, Zebadiah Chandler, and he was followed by Timothy Holt, whose house still stands on Prospect Hill, himself one of the assessors of the year before. Next to him, came his nephew, Henry, the richest man in town.

Three months later, 'twas put to Vote to See Whether the precinct would build a belfree on the Meeting House that they were a bought to build or whether they would not build one, and they Voted not to build one. 'Voted and passed that the precinct will build their meeting house after the same form and fashion that our Meeting house is now of.' Its dimensions were then settled. It was about two-thirds the size of the present audience room. Then, 'Voted and passed that the precinct will build their Meeting house in the form of plank walls, the parishioners consulted an economy that was necessary for them but secured to themselves a lessened comfort for 50 years to come. 'Voted and passed that ye precinct has Impoverished Sd Committee to Let out the Meeting house by the great—i. e., by contract instead of by the day. 'Voted and passed that the Precinct will have the Inside of Sd meeting house boarded on the Studs with ruf boards and Lathed and plastered there on.' A month later these general directions were completed by another; 'that the precinct will Leave it with the Committee to Clapboard the New Meeting House with Split or Sawd Clapboards as they Shall think best.' Moreover, this fall the committee was strengthened by the addition of two members, Dea. Nehemiah Abbott and Ensign John Chandler. These two men had divided the office of moderator for the annual meeting between them for the last ten years. Dea. Nehemiah (or Nemiah, as it was pronounced) Abbott was the chief representative in town of the blood of the younger George Abbott among the early settlers, whose descendants have come to honor in many places of Massachusetts and Connecticut, but have not been particularly numerous here. By character and wealth combined, Dea. Abbott seems to have been the town's leading citizen in its western quarter. He was one of the founders of this church, its treasurer for nineteen years, and a deacon for forty. At a time when Andover's representative in the general court was apt to be chosen from the older North Parish, he filled the office six times. Tradition says that he was 'highly respected for his moral worth and Christian virtues.' John Chandler, a somewhat younger man, was also a very

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Young Republicans, Attention!

Young men who wish to join the Republican campaign battalion should make a point of getting around to this evening's meeting. Many more recruits are wanted and any young man over eighteen years of age is invited to come around this evening and sign the roll, or to hand his name to the recruiting committee, consisting of John Morrissey, Arthur Cheever, John Welch, Cutter Foster and Harry Chadwick.

Young republicans of Ballardvale are especially invited to attend the meeting at 8 o'clock tonight in the lower Town hall, or to send their names to one of the above committee.

Everybody join and swell the ranks.

Big Parade in Lawrence.

There will be a big torchlight procession in this city Friday evening Oct. 26. Between 2000 and 3000 men will be in line including campaign clubs from Fitchburg, Manchester, N. H., Lowell, Methuen, Haverhill, Salem, Beverly, Ipswich and other places. The Republican club at Phillips Andover academy, 300 strong, will probably participate. The evening will be devoted wholly to the parade. There will be no speeches. A long route will be laid out. The demonstration will probably be the biggest one of the campaign in this vicinity. The local company is expected to participate.

Weather Record.

Temperature taken in the morning between 5 and 7 o'clock and at noon between 12 and 1 o'clock.					
1899		Morn.	Noon.	1900 Morn. Noon.	
Oct. 12	54	78	Oct. 12	47	70
" 13	49	70	" 13	48	74
" 14	54	66	" 14	56	69
" 15	60	74	" 15	52	65
" 16	54	64	" 16	46	72
" 17	50	73	" 17	34	46
" 18	66	74	" 18	34	60

The Lawrence district Sunday school association will meet in the Free Baptist church, corner of Common and Pemberton streets, Lawrence, Thursday, Oct. 25. Afternoon and evening.

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Second Meeting House.

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worthy man and one of more popular qualities. His father had been in 1890 captain of the company that defended the frontier towns from Dunstable to Bradford against the Indians; and he followed his father in military aptitudes. A year after this, he too was Capt. Chandler. He lived behind the Ridge and was a selectman of the town sixteen times.

By the middle of spring, the new building was ready to lift its head. On the last day of April the precinct voted that it "Doth Leave It with the Committee to provide ropes and Tackles & a Man for to Assist in Managing the Same for Raising the frame of their Intended New Meeting house upon the precinct 'Charges.' And in the following December we learn that 'pues' are to be built 'round in the Lore room of the New Meeting house.' Winter once more brought the work to a pause, but with the disappearance of the snow the little remaining to be done was done. May 12, 1734, was the last Sabbath of worship in the old house. Mr. Phillips preached from John 14: 31, 'Arise, let us go hence,' and on the next Sunday stood in the new house and spoke from these words in David's prayer at the foundation of the Temple: 'Now, therefore our God, we thank Thee and praise Thy glorious name. But who am I and what is my people, that we should be able to offer so willingly after this sort? for all things come of Thee, and of Thine own have we given Thee.' And Mr. Phillips spoke truly in implying that the worshippers before him had 'offered willingly.' In the year previous (1733) they had made three payments towards its cost: in the March just past they had made a large double payment; and before 1734 was gone they taxed themselves a fifth time, to pay all debts outstanding. In all, the building cost about £900. This was free and willing giving for 120 men.

As for the completed house, we have a description of it in a letter of an early Josiah Quincy to Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe.

'It was surrounded by horse-blocks innumerable; for the pillion was the ladies' travelling delight, and alone, or in pairs, with their husbands or fathers, they seldom failed to come trooping to their devotions. The church itself was a shingled mass, lofty and I should say containing twice the area of its successor. This, however, may be the exaggeration of my boyish fancy, but it had three lofty stories, with three galleries in the interior, always densely filled with apparently pious zeal and earnest listeners. The windows of the vast building were of diamond-shaped glass panes, of rhomboid form, in length about three or four inches, in breadth perhaps two or three. Opening like doors outward, these windows were loose and shacking in life winter, when the north wind shook the church with unmistakable power, their rattling was often a match, and sometimes an overmatch, for the voice of the clergyman, while those in the pews, sitting for the most part on hard benches, and their feet only comforted with small stoves or heated bricks, had much ado through their sufferings to keep their attention fixed. In the left hand gallery sat the ladies, the right the gentlemen, in the midst of whom and in front sat the tything man, with his white pole three or four cubits in length, and in his right hand a short hazel rod, which ever and anon in the midst of the sermon, to the awakening and alarm of the whole congregation, he would with the whole force of his arm bring down with a ringing slap on the front of the gallery, shaking it at the same time with a terrific menace at two or three frightened urchins in a corner. In a square box in front of the pulpit sat the deacons, one of whom had pen, ink, and paper, and was carefully taking the heads of the preacher's discourse. In the front gallery sat the precentor with a pitchpipe, the token of his authority, with which, as soon as the first line of the psalm was read, he gave the note to the choir of both sexes—20 or 30 each—following the deacon, reading line by line in an ecstasy of harmony which none but the lovers of music realize. And the mighty congregations seemed to realize their felicity, for they joined the choir with a will, exemplifying the happiness of which they sung. On the whole, it was an exciting scene, elevating and solemnizing the mind.'

The story of that new church is a good story for the most part. The vast meeting-house (because for those days it was vast) may have occasioned quarrels, but it was the cause of much more, honorable devotion and it was the object of a great love. Living in days when they were surrounded by unclaimed fields, and when wealth (family wealth if not personal wealth) promised itself to him who should save money and claim land, occupy it, and wait for the less nimble

second-comers, these men stopped saving and gave for their church and bulid for the years to come. This was a parish church. The competition of sects had not begun and the story is simple and dignified. It was an established church—established by law; but no vicar was wringing his tithes from reluctant hands. The parishioners were self-taxed, and taxed themselves because they knew themselves to be all priests to God. It was a missionary church, missionary not to contemporary heathen, but to the Colony which had just reached Worcester County, and to institutions not yet fully moulded. The work of those men is done; ours, living in a settled State amid institutions stored with power, may be wider but can hardly be deeper. Yet they have nothing more to do here. Men's first and best witness is always to their own community. It is our trust to be their successors. We fill the places of elect men; men who were more than 'manly, straightforward, sober, patriotic,' and whose inner eyes had vision of more than the uncouth towers of their little New England town.

RETURN OF SOUSA.

The Management of the 20th Century Exposition have felt the pulse of the public and find it is "Sousa" at any cost. At a great extra expense they have prevailed upon him to cancel engagements elsewhere, for the voice of the New England public demands his return to Boston, and to the thousands who were disappointed and unable to secure seats during his last engagement, we have only to say that the box office for reserved seats is now open at Mechanics Building. An early application for seats is advisable, as the demand is sure to be more than the seating capacity of the building.

The remainder of the grand show is still in full operation, and at this date needs no further elaboration. Last week started out with a magnificent automobile parade, and was a record breaker in many respects. Those who would avoid the tremendous rush on the closing days will attend the Fair during the first days of next week.

Universalist Conference.

The Universalists of the Merrimack Valley held a conference in this city Wednesday which was attended by over 200 delegates representing Lowell, Nashua, Methuen, Haverhill, Andover, Amesbury, Merrimack and other places. The delegates gathered at 10.30 a. m., at the Church of the Good Shepherd on Haverhill street.

The session opened with a conference meeting led by Rev. C. E. Fisher of Lowell. The sermon was by Rev. F. A. Gray of Nashua, N. H., on "The Mission and Outlook of the Universalist Church." He said in part:

"As early as 1850 out of 1800 Protestant clergymen in Germany 1600 were pronounced Universalists, and this great majority has been rapidly enlarged in the last half century. Universalism has now for over a century been counted evangelical in Germany. The array of the Episcopal clergymen of both the English and the American church who believe with us contain her best scholars and greatest and most noted preachers. English and American Unitarians as a body today agree in accepting the doctrines of the temporal duration and the reformatory character of punishment. This is the great work of the Universalist church. She can give the world what it needs. This great faith runs like a thread of gold through the best of all literature, ancient, medieval, and modern. These mighty lives, the make of the world's people true men and women. It is committed to our church to proclaim as convictions in every place where we can gain entrance. Her mission is to spread the light, love, peace and health of God into the hearts of his children. When all this work is done, her mission shall be accomplished. The Universalist church has the greatest, grandest, most cheering mission in the world. Marvellous in her history she is as yet a child. Mighty in her hope she holds the world that now is, and that which is to come in her grasp. She is a Colossus, bridging across the stream of death one foot on the heavens, the other on the earth. The youngest as to organization, almost the oldest in faith. Her mission has but begun. She is to comfort men with hope in life and death, inspire them with knowledge, teach them wisdom and make them co-workers with the great, eternal and successful God."

Lunch was served in the vestry at 12.30. At the opening of the afternoon session a business meeting was held the choice for president being R. M. Brown of Haverhill, and for secretary Rev. F. M. Gibbs of Amesbury. The conference reports all showed a splendid record of work done the past year.

Addresses delivered this afternoon were by Rev. Mr. Brown of Haverhill on "The Attitude of the Church to the Laboring Men," and Rev. R. A. Green of Lowell on "The Reality of Religion." A praise service was led by Rev. W. G. Gaskin of Methuen.

PREHISTORIC RUINS.

A dispatch from the City of Mexico says Prof. William Niven of New York city, who is in the wilds of the state of Guerrero, has made some further interesting archaeological discoveries, says in a letter just received.

Prehistoric ruins were found on all the ridges, and at a point called Cachuautla two columns of trachyte, 4-12 feet long by 18 inches in diameter, lay side by side. They were completely covered with hieroglyphics with a five pointed star on one end. Each of them must weigh between 400 and 500 pounds. About 300 metres up the hill were ruins of a building over a hundred feet long. It is difficult to imagine what these columns were used for, unless as altars of a temple. Several blocks of diorite, 14 inches square, were scattered about, so it is evident that the edifice was of more than ordinary importance. The ground for hundreds of yards was completely strewn with fragments of broken pottery, but the brush and undergrowth was so dense that only a small part of the locality was explored. Regarding these Guerrero ruins, I have seen sufficient evidence during my 12 years travelling the state, to prove that the country has been inhabited some time by millions of people. What such a vast population could have subsisted on in this wild, broken up country on the hill summits and sides of deep barrancas, is impossible to conceive, unless a great seismic disturbance has changed the topography of the land. That corn was one of their chief articles of food is proved by the metates and pestles which are found in nearly every ruin, but where this cereal was grown is a mystery as there does not appear to be more than sufficient soil to raise corn for the present Indian inhabitants. Then there is the question of water. Although Guerrero is probably the best watered state in the republic, it is often miles from these prehistoric dwellings and in almost inaccessible canons.

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LIKE THE DAYS OF LONG AGO.

Walter H. Rounds.

I sat one night at the window,
In the dim-light after-glow,
And thought of the days of boyhood:
Of the days of long ago.

The village—green and the meadow,
The bridge, and the rippling brook,
The happy home, and pleasures,
That for fame, I had forsok:

All the childish griefs, and sorrows,
That caused me unold woe,
And joys of games in the door-yard,
With my brother, Little Joe.

Ah, the summer nights, and evenings,
Playing 'round my mother's knee,
In the village of old Kingston,
Kingston, England, by-the-sea.

Were fraught with childish pleasures,
Joys that ne'er can come again:
And of revels in the twilight,
Dreams of boys, and dreams of men.

All the blissful days of childhood,
Stand out clearly through the veil.
Of past triumphs, joys, and sorrows,
Deeds that prosper, deeds that fail:

And I see beyond the margin
Of the pale-lit mystery,
Of the grave, the grand new future,
That's prepared for you and me;

The shiny pathway, sparkling fountains,
Arabesque, and full of glow,
The happy days of mirthful childhood
Happy days of long ago.

And, beside the open window,
I imagine all will be
The same as in the days of Jacob:
The same as Jacob once did see.

The shiny ladder, golden pathway
Will open, and welcome us on high;
To the pearly gates of heaven,
To that kingdom in the sky.

And on entering, oh, how happy:
How delighted I shall be,
If I find dear little Joey
Playing 'round my mother's knee.

If I find the days in heaven,
Are forever all aglow,
With the joys of mother, brother,
Like the days of long ago.

ENGAGED IN SHAM BATTLE.

Company L of this city made a fine showing at the Eighth Regiment field day held at Ipswich Monday.

The uniforms and accoutrements were all put in first class order between 6.15 and 6.45 o'clock yesterday morning and all quarters before seven full ranks, 61 men, formed in line under Captain R. H. Sherman. The company was led by the Eighth Regiment Drum Corps, in charge of Drum Major Thomas and paraded up Essex street to the North station where they boarded the 7.02 train. Arriving at Woodbury junction an hour later the men formed in line and marched to the scene of the sham battle, Sagamore Hill, about three miles from the station. Here the companies put in every spare moment in practice for the coming event.

Dinner was served at the junction. The men were each given 100 rounds of blank ammunition and marched back to Sagamore Hill where Col. Pew explained to the men the proposed method of attack, and told them that the enemy were supposed to be entrenched about a mile and a half away. He also said that he wanted them to get there as much under cover as possible.

When the order for attack was given Sergeant Connors of Company L with a detail of 15 men from Companies L and M were sent out as scouts. Companies H, M, E, and B were on the firing line while Companies F, G, L, and A were the support and 600 yards in the rear. Companies C and D acted as a reserve. After all the companies had got on the firing line the order was given for rapid fire, and 10 minutes later the bugle sounded to the charge. The whole regiment fixed bayonets and quickly crossed the open field for about 1000 yards and then rushed forward, yelling like Indians, and captured the breast works of the enemy. It was a splendid sight and an elegant view could be had of all the manoeuvres of the regiment, about 3000 people witnessing the affair.

In the evening at four o'clock a parade was held. The companies being dismissed about an hour later when they left for home arriving at about 7.45 after making the best showing Company L has ever made.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

E. Kendall Jenkins of Andover nominated by Democrats at Salem.

SALEM, Oct. 18.—At the Essex county Democratic convention, held in this city this afternoon, Daniel Sanders of Gloucester was nominated for commissioner and E. Kendall Jenkins of Andover for treasurer.

The delegates were called to order in town hall by Miles J. Daley and the convention organized with Michael L. Sullivan of Salem as chairman and James F. Donovan of Salem as secretary.

James O. Parker of Methuen, George A. Collins of Salem, George H. Schofield of Ipswich, George B. Sears of Danvers, Daniel B. Lord of Salem and others championed the candidacy of Mr. Jenkins, while Miles J. Daley and M. J. Donovan of Haverhill favored William C. Waters.

The ballot resulted in 13 votes for Waters and 18 votes for Jenkins. The nomination was then made unanimous. Willard J. Hale was nominated for register of deeds.

George A. Schofield said he favored Mr. Jenkins, not as a Republican, but as an honest man who had been defeated by trades in the Republican county convention to make room for a politician.

James O. Parker, a lifelong Democrat, championed Mr. Jenkins, saying among other things that the latter had freed the office of county treasurer from political and that it was for the best interests of the county to keep the office out of politics.

The reasons announced by the majority of the delegates for supporting Mr. Jenkins are as follows:

"Because he is an honest, faithful and courteous official."

"Because he has administered the financial affairs skillfully, with rare good judgment and ability."

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worthy man, and one of more popular qualities. His father had been in 1690 captain of the company that defended the frontier towns from Dunstable to Bradford against the Indians; and he followed his father in military aptitudes. A year after this, he too was Capt. Chandler. He lived behind the Ridge and was a selectman of the town sixteen times.

By the middle of spring, the new building was ready to lift its head. On the last day of April the precinct voted that it "Doth Leave It with the Committee to provide ropes and Tackles & a Man for to Assist in Managing the Same for Raising the frame of their Intended New Meeting house upon the precinct Charges." And in the following December we learn that "pues" are to be built 'round in the Lore room of the New Meeting house.' Winter, once more brought the work to a pause, but with the disappearance of the snow the little remaining to be done was done.

May 12, 1734, was the last Sabbath of worship in the old house. Mr. Phillips preached from John 14: 31, "Arie, let us go hence," and on the next Sunday stood in the new house and spoke from these words in David's prayer at the foundation of the Temple: "Now, therefore our God, we thank Thee and praise Thy glorious name. But who am I and what is my people, that we should be able to offer so willingly after this sort? for all things come of Thee, and of Thine own have we given Thee." And Mr. Phillips spoke truly in implying that the worshippers before him had "offered willingly." In the year previous (1733) they had made three payments towards its cost: in the March just past they had made a large double payment; and before 1734 was gone they taxed themselves a fifth time, to pay all debts outstanding. In all, the building cost about £800. This was free and willing giving for 120 men.

As for the completed house, we have a description of it in a letter of an early Josiah Quincy to Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe.

"It was surrounded by horse-blocks innumerable; for the pillion was the ladies' travelling delight, and alone, or in pairs, with their husbands or fathers, they seldom failed to come trooping to their devotions. The church itself was a shingled mass, lofty and, I should say, containing twice the area of its successor. This, however, may be the exaggeration of my boyish fancy, but it had three lofty stories, with three galleries in the interior, always densely filled with apparently pious zeal and earnest listeners. The windows of the vast building were of diamond-shaped glass panes, of rhomboid form, in length about three or four inches, in breadth perhaps two or three. Opening like doors outward, these windows were loose and shacking. In the winter, when the north wind shook the church with unmistakable power, their rattling was often a match, and sometimes an overmatch, for the voice of the clergyman, while those in the pews, sitting for the most part on hard benches, and their feet only comforted with small stoves or heated bricks, had much ado through their sufferings to keep their attention fixed. In the left hand gallery sat the ladies, the right the gentlemen, in the midst of whom and in front sat the tything man, with his white pole three or four cubits in length, and in his right hand a short hazel rod, which ever and anon in the midst of the sermon, to the awakening and alarm of the whole congregation, he would with the whole force of his arm bring down with a ringing slap on the front of the gallery, shaking it at the same time with a terrific menace at two or three frightened urchins in a corner. In a square box in front of the pulpit sat the deacons, one of whom had pen, ink, and paper, and was carefully taking the heads of the preacher's discourse. In the front gallery sat the precentor with a pitchpipe, the token of his authority, with which, as soon as the first line of the psalm was read, he gave the note to the choir of both sexes—20 or 30 each—following the deacon, reading line by line in an ecstasy of harmony which none but the lovers of music realize. And the mighty congregations seemed to realize their felicity, for they joined the choir with a will, exemplifying the happiness of which they sung. On the whole, it was an exciting scene, elevating and solemnizing the mind."

The story of that new church is a good story for the most part. The vast meeting-house (because for those days it was vast) may have occasioned quarrels, but it was the cause of much more honorable devotion and it was the object of a great love. Living in days when they were surrounded by unclaimed fields, and when wealth (family wealth if not personal wealth) promised itself to him who should save money and claim land, occupy it, and wait for the less nimble

second-comers, these men stopped saving and gave for their church and builded for the years to come. This was a parish church. The competition of sects had not begun and the story is simple and dignified. It was an established church—established by law; but no vicar was wringing his hands from reluctant hands. The parishioners were self-taxed, and taxed themselves because they knew themselves to be all priests to God. It was a missionary church, missionary not to contemporary heathen, but to the Colony which had just reached Worcester County, and to institutions not yet fully moulded. The work of those men is done; ours, living in a settled State amid institutions stored with power, may be wider but can hardly be deeper. Not that we have nothing more to do here. Men's fire and best-wishes are always to their own community. It is our trust to be their successors. We fill the places of elect men; men who were more than 'manly, straightforward, sober, patriotic,' and whose inner eyes had vision of more than the uncouth towers of their little New England town.

RETURN OF SOUSA.

The Management of the 20th Century Exposition have felt the pulse of the public and find it is "Sousa" at any cost. At a great extra expense they have prevailed upon him to cancel engagements elsewhere, for the voice of the New England public demands his return to Boston, and to the thousands who were disappointed and unable to secure seats during his last engagement, we have only to say that the box office for reserved seats is now open at Mechanics Building. An early application for seats is advisable, as the demand is sure to be more than the seating capacity of the building.

The remainder of the grand show is still in full operation, and at this date needs no further elaboration. Last week started out with a magnificent automobile parade, and was a record breaker in many respects. Those who would avoid the tremendous rush on the closing days will attend the Fair during the first days of next week.

Universalist Conference.

The Universalists of the Merrimack Valley held a conference in this city Wednesday which was attended by over 200 delegates representing Lowell, Nashua, Methuen, Haverhill, Andover, Amesbury, Merrimack and other places. The delegates gathered at 10 a. m., at the Church of the Good Shepherd on Haverhill street.

The session opened with a conference meeting led by Rev. C. E. Fisher of Lowell. The sermon was by Rev. F. A. Graves of Nashua, N. H., on the subject, "The Mission and Outlook of the Universalist Church." He said in part:

"As early as 1850 out of 1800 Protestant clergymen in Germany 1600 were pronounced Universalists, and this great majority has been rapidly enlarged in the last half century. Universalism has now for over a century been counted evangelical in Germany. The array of the Episcopal clergymen of both the English and the American church who believe with us contains her best scholars and greatest and most noted preachers. English and American Unitarians as a body today agree in accepting the doctrines of the temporal duration and the reformatory character of punishment. This is the great work of the Universalist church. She can give the world what it needs. This great faith runs like a thread of gold through the best of all literature, ancient, medieval, and modern. These mighty hopes that make the world's people true men and women it is committed to our church to proclaim as convictions in every place where we can gain entrance. Her mission is to preach the light, love, peace and health of God into the hearts of his children. When all this work is done, her mission shall be accomplished. The Universalist church has the greatest, grandest, most cheering mission in the world. Marvelous in her history she has yet a child. Mighty in her hopes, she holds the world that now is, and that which is to come in her grasp. She is a Colossus, bridging across the stream of death one foot on the heavens, the other on the earth. The youngest and the organization almost, the oldest in faith. Her mission has but begun. She is to comfort men with hope in life and death, inspire them with knowledge, teach wisdom and make them co-workers with the great, eternal and successful God."

Lunch was served in the vestry at 12.30. At the opening of the afternoon session a business meeting was held the choice for president being R. M. Brown of Haverhill, and for secretary Rev. F. M. Gibbs of Amesbury. The secretary reports all showed a splendid record of work done the past year.

Addresses delivered this afternoon were by Rev. Mr. Brown of Haverhill on "The Attitude of the Church to the Laboring Men," and Rev. W. G. Gaskin of Methuen on "The Reality of Religion."

PREHISTORIC RUINS.

A dispatch from the City of Mexico says Prof. William Niven of New York city, who is in the wilds of the state of Guerrero, has made some further interesting archaeological discoveries, says in a letter just received:

Prehistoric ruins were found on all the ridges, and at a point called Cachu-nasta two columns of trachyte, 4-12 feet high by 18 inches square, lay side by side. They were completely covered with hieroglyphics with a five pointed star on one end. Each of them must weigh between 400 and 500 pounds. About 300 metres up the hill were ruins of a building over a hundred feet long. It is difficult to imagine what these columns were used for, unless as altars of a temple. Several blocks of diorite, 14 inches square, were scattered about, so it is evident that the edifice was of more than ordinary importance.

The ground for hundreds of yards was completely strewn with fragments of broken pottery, but the brush and undergrowth was so dense that only a small part of the locality was explored. Regarding these Guerrero ruins, I have seen sufficient evidence during my 12 years travelling the state, to prove that the country has been inhabited some time by millions of people. What such a vast population could have subsisted on in this wild, broken up country on the hill summits and sides of deep barrancas, is impossible to conceive, unless a great seismic disturbance has changed the topography of the land. That corn was one of their chief articles of food is proved by the metates and pestles which are found in nearly every ruin, but where this cereal was grown is a mystery as there does not appear to be more than sufficient soil to raise corn for the present Indian inhabitants. Then there is the question of water. Although Guerrero is probably the best watered state in the republic, it is often miles from these prehistoric dwellings and in almost inaccessible canons.

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LIKE THE DAYS OF LONG AGO.

Walter H. Rounds.

I sat one night at the window,
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And thought of the days of boyhood:
Of the days of long ago—

The village—green and the meadow,
The bridge, and the rippling brook.

The happy home, and pleasures,
That for fame, I had forsook:

All the childish griefs, and sorrows,
That caused me untold woe.

And joys of games in the door-yard,
With my brother, Little Joe.

Ah, the summer nights, and evenings,
Playing 'round my mother's knee,

In the village of old Kingston,
Kingston, England, by-the-sea,

Were fraught with childish pleasures,
Joys that ne'er can come again:

And of revels in the twilight,
Dreams of boys, and dreams of men.

All the blissful days of childhood,
Stand out clearly through the veil.

Of past triumphs, sins, and sorrows,
Deeds that prosper, deeds that fail:

And I see beyond the morn'g
Of the pale-lights mystery.

Of the grave, the grand new future,
That's prepared for you and me;

The shiny pathway, sparkling fountains,
Arabesque, and full of glow,

The happy days of mirthful childhood
Happy days of long ago.

And, beside the open window,
I imagine all will be

The same as in the days of Jacob:
The same as Jacob once did see.

The shiny ladder, golden pathway
Will open, and welcome us on high:

To the pearly gates of heaven,
To that kingdom in the sky.

And on entering, oh, how happy:
How delighted I shall be,

If I find dear little Josy
Playing 'round my mother's knee.

If I find the days in heaven,
Are forever all aglow,

With the joys of mother, brother,
Like the days of long ago.

ENGAGED IN SHAM BATTLE.

Company L of this city made a fine showing at the Eighth Regiment field day held at Ipswich Monday.

The uniforms and accoutrements were all put in first class order between 6.15 and 6.45 o'clock yesterday morning and at quarter before seven the ranks, 60 men, formed in line under Captain R. H. Sherman. The company was led by the Eighth Regiment Drum Corps, in charge of Drum Major Thomas and paraded up Essex street to the North station where they boarded the 7.02 train. Arriving at Woodbury Junction about an hour later the men formed in line and marched to the scene of the sham battle, Sagamore Hill, about three miles from the station. Here the companies put in every spare moment in practice for the coming event.

Dinner was served at the junction. The men were each given 100 rounds of blank ammunition and marched back to Sagamore Hill where Col. Pew explained to the men the proposed method of attack, and told them that the enemy were supposed to be entrenched about a mile and a half away. He also said that he wanted them to get there as much under cover as possible.

When the order for attack was given Sergeant Corcoran of Company L with a detail of 15 men from Companies L and M were sent out as scouts. Companies H, M, E, and B were on the firing line while Companies F, G, L, and A were the support and 600 yards in the rear Companies C and D acted as a reserve.

After all the companies had got on the firing line the order was given to fire, and 10 minutes later the bugle sounded to the charge. The whole regiment fixed bayonets and quickly crossed the open field for about 1000 yards and then rushed forward, yelling like Indians, and captured the "enemy" works of the enemy. It was a splendid sight and an elegant view could be had of all the manoeuvres of the regiment, about 3000 people witnessing the affair.

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FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

E. Kendall Jenkins of Andover nominated by Democrats at Salem.

SALEM, Oct. 16.—At the Essex county Democratic convention, held in this city this afternoon, Daniel Sanders of Gloucester was nominated for commissioner and E. Kendall Jenkins of Andover for treasurer.

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James O. Parker of Methuen, George A. Collins of Salem, George H. Schofield of Ipswich, George B. Sears of Danvers, Daniel B. Lord of Salem and others championed the candidacy of Mr. Jenkins, while Miles J. Daley and M. J. Donovan of Haverhill favored William C. Waters.

The ballot resulted in 13 votes for Waters and 18 votes for Jenkins. The nomination was then made unanimous. Willard J. Hale was nominated for register of deeds.

George A. Schofield said he favored Mr. Jenkins, not as a Republican, but as an honest man who had been defeated by trades in the Republican county convention to make room for a politician.

James O. Parker, a lifelong Democrat, championed Mr. Jenkins, saying among other things that the latter had freed the office of county treasurer from politics and that it was for the best interests of the county to keep the office out of politics.

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North Andover News.

Miss Sarah Kittredge is visiting in Salem.

Thomas Fletcher and family removed to Methuen, Friday.

The Y. P. S. C. E held a missionary meeting Sunday evening.

Ripe raspberries were picked in the Farnham district Thursday.

W. H. Salisbury and family closed Uria Villa Monday and returned to Chicago.

W. G. Brooks and family will close their summer residence and return to Boston next week.

Seventeen names were added to the voting list at the meeting of the registrars in the town hall, Thursday evening.

Supt. Goldsmith is connecting the Main and Pleasant street water mains through Davis street.

Morley Brightman has resigned his position as treasurer of the eastern crossing on Main street and has been succeeded by Timothy Sullivan.

The Assessors and Board of Registrars will be in session for the last time prior to the coming election, Saturday Oct. 27, from 12 noon, till 10 o'clock afternoon.

Miss Mildred Stevens and Miss Nellie Hood of Lynn and Miss Florence Stevens were the guests of Postmistress Nellie T. Stevens, Sunday.

The state highway commissioners have moved the road some 5 feet north of the original survey to allow room for the Lawrence and Salem street railroad which they will locate on the opposite side of the highway.

Dr. Smith and Frank D. Foster are in New York for a vacation trip.

Judge Amos Merrill of Peabody has been the guest of Mrs. B. P. Saunders this week.

The polls will open at 8 o'clock Tuesday November 6, instead of 9 o'clock as heretofore.

Miss Clara Barnard of Boston spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dame.

Strawberry blossoms were picked in Union village, by Charles Pressey a day or two since.

Officer Harris is investigating several cases of recent larceny which have been reported to him.

Mrs. Wentworth of Concord, N. H., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Barker.

Miss Curry will conduct another Evangelistic service at the Methodist church this evening.

The first Wednesday in November is the date of the annual meeting of Cochichewick lodge, F. A. M.

Improvements are to be made by the Brick store company on their building at the Centre for the accommodation of the Masons.

Some 20 or more hens belonging to Michael Driscoll of Irving road, Sutton field are reported to have been killed very recently, it is thought by minks or other animals.

The selectmen drew orders Monday evening for the following amounts:

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Arthur Meloon has returned home from a trip of several months to Effingham, N. H.

Lawrence talent entertained Bradstreet colony at Monday evening's social meeting.

Oliver Stevens will remove to his Boston residence from Marblehead farm very soon.

Miss Bertha Rea, daughter of Calvin Rea entered a hospital in Boston, Monday for treatment.

William Gile transferred the household effects of a Lynn resident to Derry, N. H., Friday.

The harvest concert of the Methodist Sunday school will be held Sunday evening at 6.30 o'clock.

John Holmes, a clerk in the south terminal station, Boston, was the guest of J. Harry Lynch, Sunday.

Rev. F. H. Page of Trinity church, Lawrence, occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church Sunday.

Levi Stillman has returned to Kiltredge farm after a vacation in Nova Scotia. He reports a rainy trip.

A stereopticon lecture on "Yellowstone Park" was given in the Congregational church Wednesday evening before a large audience.

The Sioux-Sioux Indians were defeated by the Young Andover pale faces in a game of football in Andover Saturday. Score 15-5.

Maurice J. Mahoney has closed his summer residence on Chestnut street for the season and the family has returned to Lawrence.

The harvest concert of the Congregational Sunday school will be held Sunday Oct. 28, instead of next Sunday as heretofore announced.

The young ladies of class 1900, L. H. S., formed a "Ladies' Literary Club," Thursday of last week. Miss Alice Weston of this town was chosen vice president.

Mrs. Clara Elskine Clement Waters, an authoress well known here has recently published a beautiful book according to the reviewers, entitled, "Heroines in Art."

Geo. H. Shaw, John H. Greenwood, James M. Thomson, Eric Lowe, James Brierly 2nd, David Crockett and John Johnson were made citizens of the right kind in the court of naturalization Saturday, in Lawrence. Several more will be made tomorrow.

Officer Harris who investigated the duck slaughtering case at the residence of Mr. Stowers, is confident that it was none other than the work of some animal of the mink or weasel family. He says also that Dr. Smith who examined the nature of the wounds is of the opinion that it was the work of animals of some kind. The fur or hair was found on the wire fences about or near the coops, and there was little or no blood from the wounds.

At a meeting of the selectmen Monday evening the following election officers were appointed for one year beginning Nov. 1, 1900: Precinct 1—Warden T. P. Wentworth; deputy warden, E. E. Chesley; clerk, A. P. Chikering; deputy clerk, F. S. Smith; inspectors, John A. Currier, A. W. Badger, Arthur R. Keefe, W. R. Johnson; deputy inspectors, David W. Wallwork, John B. Lewis, Cornelius J. Mahoney, William McQueston, Precinct 2—Warden, Peter Holt; deputy warden, Harry Cunningham; clerk, W. H. Hayes; deputy clerk, M. B. Meserve; inspectors, A. D. Carleton, T. H. Broderick, Milton Jenkins, George A. Rea, J. T. Finn, Henry Schrunder, Jr., O. T. Young, F. Orris Rea.

The Charitable Union will meet this afternoon and evening.

The teachers in town attended the convention in Peabody today.

Misses Mary Geaney and Mary Quealey spent Saturday in Boston.

Miss Teresa M. Fay of Boston who has been summering at the Prospect house left Wednesday for her home.

The first two degrees of the husbandry rite will be conferred by the local grange Tuesday evening, Nov. 6.

Miss Curry of Stoneham, will begin her evangelistic work at the Methodist church tomorrow at the morning service.

Several of the local grangers will attend the meeting of the Boxford grange this evening. Neighbors' night will be observed.

William R. Adams is managing the Crescent football team. A good game may be expected Thanksgiving day as a result of a series of practice games.

About 60 guests attended the harvest supper of the Country club Friday evening. The Columbian orchestra furnished music, and dancing followed the feast. Autumn leaves and corn decorated the interior of the clubhouse.

The case of Allen vs. McCloy for assault on the wife of McCloy which was to have been heard Tuesday afternoon in the local court has been postponed until tomorrow owing to the absence of witnesses.

It is understood that the Cochichewick farm will be carried on under the direction of Miss French of Roxbury, next season who will make her permanent residence here.

Harrison G. Milfin and wife are expected to return from Europe to the "Bush" in a few days. His son who was graduated from Harvard last June, will remain abroad for study.

Delegates from Andover and North Andover to the representative district convention met in the selectmen's office last evening and unanimously nominated James C. Poor as the Republican district candidate for that office.

At a meeting of the Girls' Friendly society at the Parish house Monday evening, Miss Margaret Elliot was chosen branch secretary, Miss Christina Elliott treasurer, and Miss Annie Belle Ellison secretary of local affairs.

The evening social and supper of the Charitable Union, Wednesday evening, was presided over and served by Miss Laura A. Bailey, Mrs. Sam D. Berry and Mrs. Edward Butterworth. Twenty-nine enjoyed the pleasure of the evening.

The membership of the Charitable Union was increased by eight at the meeting Wednesday afternoon. Those received were T. G. Chadwick, George G. Chadwick, Walter Carney, Marian Harper, Bertha Chadwick, Daniel W. Sutcliffe, Arthur Chadwick, Roland Prescott.

Mechanics Brass band played for the Republican parade in Lawrence Friday evening. The band will also play for the Washington Mills club at the first rally Monday evening and for the same organization at the county parade in Salem, Wednesday evening. There was a large representation of townspeople to view the parade last evening.

The meetings conducted by Miss Curry the Evangelist, at the Methodist church have been well attended and are of deep interest to her hearers. Miss Curry has held meetings Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week and Sunday morning and will also preach this evening. Pastor Mears cordially invites the public to attend any or all of the services.

Richardson's barge of Andover conveyed a party to Bald-pate hill Friday evening for a harvest outing. Among the number present were: Mr. and Mrs. Stephen De M. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fernandes, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Andrews, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Greenwood of Lawrence, Miss Annie Menter of Haverhill, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Godfrey, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Hamilton.

The Lawrence police were telephoned Friday evening that a horse had disappeared in some unaccountable manner from the Country club sheds. It appeared that a Lawrence guest when ready to return could find nothing but the horse blanket in place where he had left the team. Later however, the animal was found in the woods where it had strayed away, having loosed himself from the halter.

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David, d. June 21, 1823, aged 59 (wife Priscilla Chandler)

Jeduthan, d. July 5, 1810, aged 62 (wife Hannah Poor)

Jonathan, d. Apr. 10, 1817, aged 77

Jonathan, d. May 21, 1830, aged 70

Bailey, Lieut. Moses, d. Mar. 14, 1842, aged 98 (wife Elizabeth)

William, d. Mar. 12, 1836, aged 88 (1st wife Rebekah, 2nd wife Hannah, 3d wife Anna)

Barnard, John, d. Jan. 14, 1842, aged 42 (wife Lydia)

Boynton, Sergt., Thomas, d. Mar. 10, 1833, aged 80 (wife Hannah)

Burt, Joseph, d. Dec. 29, 1810, aged 84 (wife Abiah)

Chandler, Abiel, d. in Boston Nov. 2, 1833 (wife Mary, who d. at Saugus 1845)

James, d. Dec. 1, 1835, aged 57 (wife Phebe Dane)

Joseph, d. Nov. 3, 1815, aged 57 (wife Mary)

Joshua, d. Nov. 26, 1817, aged 59 (wife Dorcas)

Cochran, Janus, d. (wife Salome, already marked)

Dane, Joseph, d. Sept. 19, 1807, aged 84

Foster, Gideon, d. Aug. 9, 1817, aged 78

Holt, Joshua, d. July 17, 1810, aged 70 (wife Phebe)

Hunt, Paul, d. Nov. 28, 1832, aged 78 (wife Elizabeth Shattuck)

Lovejoy, Isaac, d. Dec. 3, 1800, aged 76

Isaac, d. Dec. 8, 1832, aged 75 (wife Mary)

Jeremiah, d. Oct. 4, 1806, aged 68 (wife Dorothy (Dolly) Ballard)

Rand, Ebenezer, d. Apr. 15, 1813, aged 82 (wife Priscilla Russ, widow of Thomas Blanchard, 3d)

Shattuck, Joseph, d. July 8, 1847, aged 89 (1st wife Hannah Chandler who d. Aug. 1785, aged 21; 2d wife, Phebe Abbot)

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WEST PARISH.

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"Neighbor's Night" will be observed at the Grange next Tuesday evening. The entertainment will be furnished by the Tewksbury and Dracut granges.

Birth.

In South Lawrence, Oct. 12th, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Cutler.

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